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Enclosed for filing for entering the national stage under 35 USC 371 is a check for \$500 for payment of the basic national stage fee, national stage search fee and national stage examination fee together with a copy of the International Application. Applicant claims small entity status. Also enclosed are a Preliminary Amendment to be entered upon filing of the national stage application and a copy of the PCT Request.

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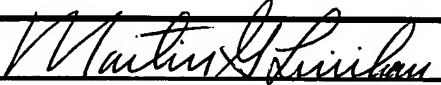
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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005		Application Number		
		Filing Date	April 26, 2005	
		First Named Inventor	Mikio Totani	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit		
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FEE CALCULATION				
1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES				
	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES	EXAMINATION FEES
	Small Entity		Small Entity	
Application Type	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	200
Design	200	100	100	130
Plant	200	100	300	160
Reissue	300	150	500	600
Provisional	200	100	0	0
				Fees Paid (\$)

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES				Small Entity
Fee Description				Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent				50
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent				200
Multiple dependent claims				360
Total Claims				Fees Paid (\$)
-20 or HP = _____ x _____ = _____				_____
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20				_____
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE				
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